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each month, at Fraternal Brotherhood Hall. Visiting brothers are cordially invited. John Thornhill, president; E. C. Ward, secretary.

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## DOBBYNS AGAIN BEHIND THE BARS; FEIGNS INSANITY

ARRESTED IN NEWARK, OHIO, WHILE SERVING AS FOREMAN IN RAILROAD SHOPS

### BROUGHT BACK TO RATON

Shortly After Being Lodged in Colfax County Jail He Becomes Violent—Tells Sheriff He Cannot Make His Head Act Right—How He Was Apprehended.

Raton, N. M., Sept. 20.—W. R. C. Dobbys, escaped lunatic and fugitive from justice, is again behind the bars of the Colfax county jail. Since his escape from the territorial insane asylum at Las Vegas several months ago, Dobbys' whereabouts have been unknown, until last week, when he was accidentally apprehended at Waverly, Ohio. Special Officer Snowden of the Santa Fe made the trip east to get Dobbys and brought him back to Raton, where he must answer for the malicious destruction of property, the Santa Fe Railway company being the complaining witness.

At the time of his arrest at Waverly, Dobbys was in the employ of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Newark, Ohio, as roundhouse foreman, a most responsible position, as Newark is the main division point on this big railroad system. Railroad men say it is almost incomprehensible that Dobbys was holding such a position and this fact would seem to prove the claim of the Santa Fe special officers that his insanity is feigned. He had gone to Waverly to spend Sunday at his old home and was immediately recognized and arrested by detectives who had been watching for him to turn up there, for some time.

The recapture of Dobbys recalls an interesting story. The accused man is charged with putting emery in the working bearings of Santa Fe engines here about two years ago. After his apprehension by the Santa Fe officers, Dobbys made his escape into Mexico, where he was thrown into jail, and it is alleged suffered great privation and abuse during his imprisonment there. On his return to New Mexico, he was indicted and remanded to jail, in this county, until court should convene.

### Almost Escaped

While in the county jail he almost made his escape by cutting through a steel lining and four rows of brick in his cell. He cut a circular hole, large enough for a medium-sized man to crawl through in the steel lining of the jail, with steel needles, which were furnished him and which he used apparently in his amusement of making paper flowers. He used a pair of scissors which were given him to cut the paper for the flowers as a compass, to survey the circular portion. This hole was really not in his cell, but on top of the steel cage in the corridor on which his cell opened, and where he was kindly given the privilege of exercising and moving about. Being on top of the cage and high up, his work was not easily discovered, but when he had cut through the steel plate, and was ready to remove the last layer of brick, which kept him from freedom, his secret was discovered, and Dobbys was put into close confinement.

### Taken to Santa Fe

On account of the failure of Colfax county to have a correct panel of jury at the last term of court, Dobbys' trial with that of many others was carried over till the last of this month, when court here will again convene. When it was found that Dobbys' case could not be tried last March, he was taken to Santa Fe and placed in the penitentiary for safe keeping. Later he developed very pronounced symptoms of insanity, and was remanded to the territorial hospital for the insane, at Las Vegas, for treatment. Here he made a very cunning escape, and afterwards eluded the greatest vigilance of the officers, until taken last week as above reported.

### Becomes Violent

Since reaching here he has again become violently insane, and last night spent the whole night walking up and down his cell making strange sounds, and talking to himself all the time. It is stated by Dobbys' mother, according to the story told, that from boyhood he has suffered from spells, and it was thought that in manhood he had outgrown them. At the same time it is claimed by others that the insanity is feigned or merely the temporary result of this theory and his determination to escape.

Dobbys during his freedom has gained flesh rapidly and looks very well indeed, though he seemed very tired and mentally exhausted on ar-

iving here. He did not know the sheriff's family, all of whom he knew very well on leaving here last spring, and who were quite surprised that he did not recognize them. When asked where he had been, he said he had been to see his mother, which is true as his mother lives at Waverly, Ohio. Apart from this talk is incoherent and he seems to realize very little of his surroundings. He has a wife at Las Vegas. He will be kept here until his trial when it is expected that the Santa Fe company, whose property he injured, will attempt to prove that his insanity is feigned, and will ask that he be sent to the penitentiary for his crime.

## STOCK COMPANY WILL BE OPENING ATTRACTION

The Spooner-Wallock Stock company, which is just winding up a most successful season in Colorado Springs, has been booked by Manager Duncan, of the Duncan opera house, for a week's engagement and Saturday afternoon matinee, beginning Monday, September 27th. The Spooner-Wallock company is one of the most popular companies that annually tour the south and southwest, and its appearance in this city will mark its first visit to Las Vegas.

Miss Allie Spooner is the leading lady of this organization and Edwin N. Wallock is leading man. Both are players of wide experience and are supported by the best company ever seen at popular prices. Allie Spooner comes from the famous Spooner family which is known the country over in theatrical circles. Miss Allie Spooner has won unlimited praise from the best critics of the country, the El Paso (Texas) Herald saying, "Miss Spooner's Carmen is the best Carmen the local stage has ever seen." Edwin Wallock is a leading man of unusually fine appearance and magnetism. He is a polished, clever player of a wide range of roles.

Supporting Miss Spooner and Mr. Wallock is a company, the equal of which has never been seen in this part of the country at popular prices. Dorothy Hall is the ingenue and her work in "The Pearl of Savoy," won her the distinction of "being the best soubrette Colorado Springs has had." Mrs. F. E. Spooner, the character woman, has been compared to the best character women in the west and F. E. Spooner, comedian, is the funniest ever. Ole Ness, C. P. Fanlon, Eddie Conner and Mike Spooner are other members of the splendid Spooner-Wallock organization.

The repertoire of this company numbers over 100 plays, all of them high class and excellently staged. The plays produced here will include "A Panic on Wall Street," a comedy; "The Pearl of Savoy," a comedy drama; "A Lawyer's Wedding," a roaring comedy farce, and "A Yankee in Cuba," a patriotic comedy of that newly acquired territory of Cuba.

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### ABSORBLETS

Dyer—Did his widow succeed in breaking his will?  
Duell—Yes; long before he died.—Pick-me-up.

"Remember, my son, there is no short cut to learning."  
"O' yes there is, dad. All you have to do nowadays is to read five feet of books."—Chicago Tribune.

"Owen Flannagan! Are you Owen Flannagan?" said the clerk of the court.  
"Yes, begorra," replied the prisoner, with a merry twinkle in his eye. "I'm owin' everybody."—Tit-Bits.

"How can a boy with only two feet make all that noise?" said the impatient father as Johnny clattered down the stairs.

"Never mind," said the mother. "Let us be thankful he isn't a centipede."—Washington Star.

"I'll teach you to play at pitch and toss!" shouted the "enraged father. "I'll flog you for an hour, I will!"

"Father," instantly said the incorrigible as he balanced a penny on his thumb and finger, "I'll toss you to make it two hours or nothing."—Cassell's Saturday Journal.

Reporter—Senator, to what do you chiefly attribute your successful career?

Eminent Statesman—Entirely to heredity, young man. I deserve no credit for it whatever. My father had ambition and my mother had talent, and I happened to inherit both those qualifications.—Chicago Tribune.

"Does your boy Josh know anything about running a farm?"

"Well," answered Mr. Cornstossel, "he shows signs of bein' qualified for some branches of the work. Him an' me had quite a talk last night. He ain't very well posted on plantin' an' fertilizin', but what he don't know about promissory notes an' mortgages ain't worth mentionin'."—Washington Star.

A German shoemaker left the gas turned on in his shop one night, and upon arriving in the morning struck a match to light it. There was a terrific explosion, and the shoemaker was blown out through the door almost to the middle of the street. A passer-by rushed to his assist-

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### HAY FEVER

ance, and after helping him to rise inquired if he was injured.

The little German gazed in at his place of business, which was now burning quite briskly, and said: "No, I ain't hurt. But I got out shunt in time. Eh?"—Lippincott's.

The honeymoon had begun to bump the usual bumps.

"George, dear," queried the bride of six months, "are you glad you're married?"

"Sure thing," replied George.

"Why are you glad?" she asked.

"Because," he explained, "it will prevent me from making any more mistakes of that kind for the present."—Chicago News.

Ethel, the youngest of a large number of girls in a certain Philadelphia family, recently entered upon the duties of amanuensis to a Walnut street lawyer.

"How do you like your employer, Ethel?" the young woman was asked upon her return home that night.

"Oh, he's very nice," said Ethel, with faint praise, "but awfully narrow-minded."

"In what way?"

"He seems to have the idea that words can only be spelled his way."—Lippincott's.

A timber merchant was sitting in his office one day musing sadly over the general depression in the wood trade, when a quiet looking young man entered.

"Do you sell beechwood?" asked the stranger.

"Yes, sir," replied the merchant, rising quickly and hoping devoutly to book a large order. "We can supply any quantity on the shortest notice, either in the log or the plank."

"Oh, I don't want so much as that," said the youth, shifting his feet uneasily. "I just want a bit for a fiddle bridge."—Tit-Bits.

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